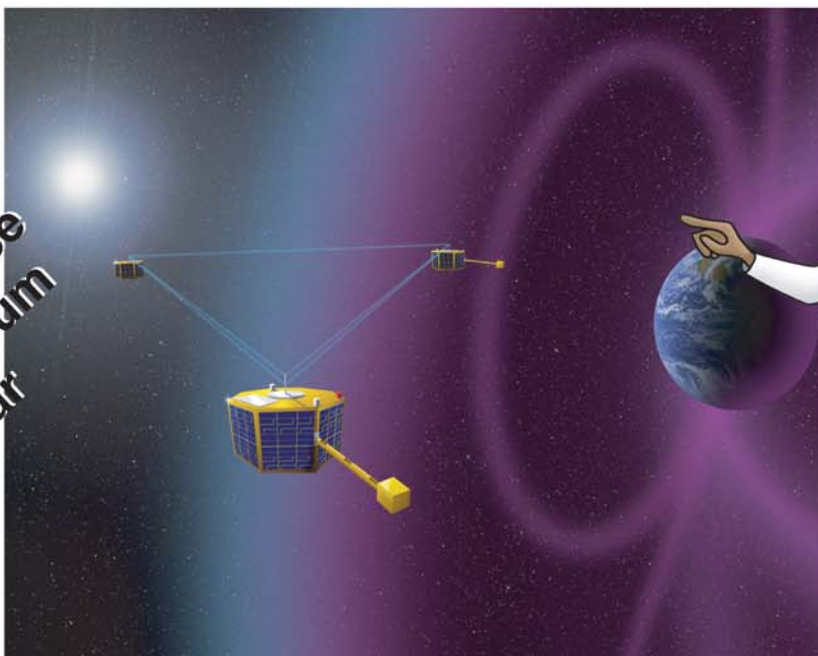


# The Space Place New Millennium Calendar



The Space Technology 5 mission will test the three smallest "full-service" spacecraft ever flown. Read the story of the "Three Little Piggy-back Satellites" then play Nanosat Flingman.  
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## MARCH 2005

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
National Craft Month. Celebrate this month by making a galactic mobile.		1	2	LAST QUARTER Birthday in 1847 of Alexander Graham Bell. See how far we've come in talking across a great distance.	4	5 DaVinci invents parachute, 1515. See how a parachute will help return comet samples to Earth.
6 Birthday in 1937 of Valentina Tereshkova, the first woman in space. See images of astronauts at The Space Place.	7	8	9 Soviet Union launches a dog, a guinea pig, and a few mice into space and brings them home safely, 1961. Pick what you would take into space.	NEW MOON Rings of Uranus discovered, 1777. Could a spaceship land on the rings of Saturn?	11	12
13	14 Albert Einstein's birthday, 1879. Read about Einstein's remarkable ideas at The Space Place.	15	16 Robert Hutchings Goddard launches the first liquid-fueled rocket, 1926. Build your own rocket using paper and fizzing tablets!	FIRST QUARTER 	18	19
20 Vernal Equinox (first day of spring)	21	22	23 National Energy Education Day. Find out what kind of energy ST5 will use and play the battery game.	24 Ranger 9 Spacecraft (unmanned) was purposefully crashed into the Moon, 1965. Dr. Marc can tell you more interesting facts about the Moon.	FULL MOON Christiaan Huygens discovers Titan, moon of Saturn, 1655. Watch a QuickTime movie of the Huygens probe landing on Titan.	26
27	28	29 In 1807 Heinrich Olbers discovers Asteroid Vesta 4, the only asteroid visible to the naked eye. Check out DS1's asteroid flyby!	30	31		

Month of March: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/galex\\_make1.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/galex_make1.shtml)

Mar. 3: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/telecom.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/telecom.shtml)

Mar. 5: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/stardust/](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/stardust/)

Mar. 6: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/educators/teachers\\_astronaut\\_images.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/educators/teachers_astronaut_images.shtml)

Mar. 9: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/mars\\_rocket.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/mars_rocket.shtml)

Mar. 10: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/phonedrmarc/2002\\_april.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/phonedrmarc/2002_april.shtml)

Mar. 14: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/orbits2.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/orbits2.shtml)

Mar. 16: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/rocket.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/rocket.shtml)

Mar. 23: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/st5\\_bats.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/st5_bats.shtml)

Mar. 24: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/phonedrmarc/2002\\_august.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/phonedrmarc/2002_august.shtml)

Mar. 25: [spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/cassini\\_make3.shtml](http://spaceplace.nasa.gov/en/kids/cassini_make3.shtml)

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